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Subject: Daily Wrap 01/17/2013

Air

Automotive News [Received 01/10] – OPEN – Interview request for Chris Grundler OPS ok'd interview with Grundler. Part of interview happened at auto show. Will schedule phoner for this week or next.

California Watch [Received 01/08] – OPEN – Researching alternative fuels and regs for converters. Reporter is working up questions.

Capital Press [Received 12/30] – CLOSED 01/17 – PM Rule. Sent responses, reviewed by OPS. Deadline 01/14.

Car & Driver [Received 01/04] – OPEN – Hybrid fuel economy. Deadline: 01/18.

Chemical & Engineering News [Received 01/09] – OPEN – Cellulosic fuel questions. Deadline 01/14

EENews [Received 01/04] – OPEN – Questions about upcoming volume targets for cellulosic fuel. Requested an interview with Chris Grundler today or Monday. Told her turnaround is tight for an interview but we would work on written responses.

Inside EPA [Received 01/04] – OPEN – Checking on timeframe for proposed rule for biomass accounting framework.

MSN Autos [Received 01/03] – OPEN – Which 2012 and 2013 cars have been officially tested by EPA. Deadline 01/04.

On Earth magazine [Received 01/14] – OPEN – Writer for NRDC magazine requesting interview re avgas. Preparing written response. Deadline 01/21.

Toronto Star [Received 01/10] – OPEN -- Deadline 01/18.

Budget

Washington Post [Received 01/16] – OPEN – Story tracing large budget cuts that were part of the deal that ended the potential 2011 government shutdown. Program working on responses. Deadline 01/18.

Research and Development

BusinessInsider.com [Received 01/04] – OPEN – Asked what the cost is for the fracking study.

Law360 [Received 01/17] – CLOSED 01/17 – Requested comment or response to Senate letter to EPA

re: our study. Sent brief response from OPS acknowledging receipt of letter. Deadline 01/17.

NHK [Received 01/15] – OPEN – Japan's largest broadcaster asking if any areas have banned hydraulic fracturing. Preparing responses.

NOS Public Broadcasting [Received 01/10] – OPEN – DC based reporter for largest news org in the Netherlands requested on camera interview on fracking study. Declined interview and offered to respond to written questions. Deadline 01/16.

Platts [Received 01/17] – OPEN – Questions about Pavillion. Deadline 01/17.

Platts [Received 01/17] – CLOSED 01/17 – Requested comment or response to Senate letter to EPA re: our study. Sent brief response from OPS acknowledging receipt of letter. Also requested that we send the letter. Sent link. Deadline 01/17.

Platts [Received 01/16] – CLOSED 01/17 – Questions about Texas AP story. Sent statement provided by OPS. Addressed reporter's follow ups per OPS. Deadline 01/16.

Wall Street Journal [Received 01/11] – CLOSED 01/16 – Writing about fracking study progress report. Interviewed w Bob P. Deadline: this week.

Water

Bloomberg [Received 01/15] – OPEN – Reporter in Boston doing research on aquifer/resource ownership for a long-term piece. Preparing responses.

BNA [Received 01/11] – OPEN – Reporter has some follow up questions about timing of various OW initiatives following interview with AAA Nancy Stoner.

BNA [Received November] – CLOSED 01/16 – Reporter requesting interview on drinking water agreed to take written responses in lieu of an interview. Program provided extensive written responses to OMR. Sent to reporter. Reviewed by OPS. Story running Friday or Monday. Deadline: 01/15.

Enviro Health Perspectives [Received 01/14] – CLOSED 01/16 – Requested OW review of coliform article. OW reviewed. Made one small edit. Sent to NIH. Deadline 01/15.

Governing magazine [Received 01/07] – OPEN – Virginia /Fairfax County case related to stormwater. Story is running (no mention of EPA), reporter waiting for our comment to update story.

Inside EPA [Received 01/16] – CLOSED 01/16 – Questions from Water Policy Report about NPDES Vessel Gen Permit. Sent approved stmt. Alerted OPS. Deadline 01/16.

Inside EPA [Received 01/11] – OPEN – Question about CSOs.

Mother Jones [Received 01/07] – CLOSED 01/17 – Seismicity and UIC. Fact checking. Deadline 01/09.

New England Center for Investigative Reporting [Received 01/09] – OPEN – CSO report questions. No deadline specified yet. Douglas Struck

Platts [Received 01/07] – OPEN – Question about the Unified Reg Agenda and Clean Water Protection guidance. Deadline 01/07

Reuters [Received 01/15] – CLOSED 01/17 – Questions about upcoming meeting with Conference of Mayors. OPS handling. Not writing. Deadline 01/16.

Water 21 [Received 01/07] – OPEN – UK-based journal of the International Water Assn. writing about perchlorate. Deadline 01/20.

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